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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Support

SUBJECT

: Weekly Report of the Office of Training

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1. Introduction to Intelligence Course #81

Eighty-five employees have requested enrollment in the HC #81 which is scheduled for 21 February. However, only 55 will be admitted to the course due to space limitation. With the concurrence of their respective training officers, those not attending this running of the course will be enrolled in the March course. Based on current registration we expect this running of the course will also reach maximum capacity.

EOD Training

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25X1A has discussed with Registrar

Staff, a few of the points which will be covered in his report on EOD training. He brought up the matter of the Office of Communications being exempted from this training. Supposedly, there was a memorandum submitted by the D/CO which exempts OC personnel from attending EOD training but as of this date no one in the Office of Communications or in the Office of Training can locate such a memorandum. We are looking into the matter further.

3. Career Training Program

On Wednesday, 2 February,

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problem of how to increase the number of Career Trainee candidates.

Attention was focused on how best to insure referral to OTR of an adequate number of qualified applicants and how to cut down the rate of loss through declinations on the part of acceptable candidates. A number of action possibilities were mentioned and will be developed in further discussions. For now, it was decided that will start 25X1A a joint review of applicant files to determine what changes, if any, should be made in the present system.

DDP Career Trainees were interviewed by senior CS officers, including Division and Staff Chiefs on 28 January. Indications are that the interviewers were very well pleased with the findings. Interview reports were made and GTR plans to review these reports for possible benefit to the training staff.

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4. Snow Removal

Snow removal during the period 26 January - 2 February required

1,706 man-hours of which 648 represented overtime. The roads and
grounds crews were on duty for 36 consecutive hours for the first snowfall and 32 consecutive hours for the second. Most of the emergency overtime for this work was not anticipated in the Station's budget planning for

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Briefing by 25X1A /SIC, at the request of participated in 25X1A 25X1A a breakfast meeting with about 15 Republican Congressmen at the Congressional Hotel on 26 January. The Congressmen had requested Stephen Resenfeld, Washington Post correspondent, to speak but since Mr. Rosenfeld was not able to appear, the group requested 25X1A provide a speaker to discuss current trends in the Communist world. The group included Cong. Gerald Ford, the House minority leader. The briefing consisted of 15 minutes of comments and an additional 15 minutes of questions. It seemed to go off well. 25X1A OTR Support to the 25X1A Intelligence School, in response to a request from 25X1A the COS/ has submitted to the Desk a proposal for a 25X1A 25X1A training program to be conducted at _____ The proposal has been 25X1A approved by FE Division and sent onto to for final approval. 25X1A 25X1A on or about 1 March 1966 to conduct the program. plans to arrive in 25X1A

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both to the larger number of students (17) as well as to their qualifications. On 10 February the Seminar will meet jointly with the Midcareer Course to hear a presentation to be given by Dr. Henry A. Kissinger, Center for International Affairs, Harvard University.

9. Meeting with NSA Officials on Orientation for Overseas Duty

met with four members of the National Security Agency on 28 January to discuss CIA's overseas orientation training and the applicability of our program in meeting a specific NSA requirement. NSA will take over full control of an installation by 1 July 1967. 25X1A When the installation is fully operational, more than in- 25X1A cluding families, will be located there. Messrs. 25X1A outlined all phases of the orientation training given by CIA to prepare its

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personnel for overseas duty. Of specific interest, the suitability of CIA's Orientation for Overseas Course as a means of meeting NSA's needs was examined. There seemed to be agreement that our course with certain appropriate modifications would serve the purpose. OTR will render further assistance when NSA officials actually begin to organize their training program.

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